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When Your Engine Goes Wrong
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As at 30th November, 1919

Paid-up Capital	\$ 15,000,000
Reserve Fund	15,000,000
Loans	283,870,274
Deposits	393,605,156
Total Assets	479,644,205

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

PAID-UP CAPITAL	\$15,000,000
RESERVE FUND	\$15,000,000

CROSSFIELD BRANCH, F. L. Watters, Manager.

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For the past five years we have made a special effort to eliminate the delay and high cost of securing Farm Loans. We are in a position now to give the public the quickest and best service to be had.

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Local and General

Mr. James T. McCool, Superintendent of the Lumber Manufacturers of Regina, Sask. spent the weekend with his Aunt and Cousin, Mrs. Jas. McCool and family. Mr. McCool was a resident of Crossfield in the early days being the eldest son of the J. H. McCool family of Crossfield, now of Youngstown.

For Quick Sale, list your land with D. P. Hays, Carstairs, Alberta.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.
Feb. 1st, 1920.

Septuagesima Sunday
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.

UNION CHURCH, CROSSFIELD
Rev. R. K. Sydenherton, B.A., B.D., Pastor.

Mr. S. Willis, Musical Director.
Mrs. M. Thomas, Organist.
Mr. D. A. Jeffery, Sunday School Superintendent.

Sunday School & Bible Class 2 p.m.
Preaching Service at 7:30 p.m.

Rev. E. S. Bishop B.A. of Edmonton, will be the Speaker for next Sunday, his Subject will be "Missions and the Forward Movement". Mr. Bishop was at one time organizing Secretary for the Laymen's Missionary Movement and is an enthusiast on the subject of Missions. He is at present Child Welfare Secretary of the Social Service League. There should be a good attendance to hear this interesting speaker on so important a subject. The Pastor will conduct the Services and sing a solo.

A Valentine Tea will be held in the Cowling building on Saturday, February 14th, by the Ladies of the Women's Guild of the Anglican Church.

Mrs. M. Turner returned to Crossfield to sing for the Frances Nickawa Recital. She also sang a Solo at the Union Church on Sunday night. Her singing was much appreciated and enjoyed by those who heard her.

Mr. Wm. Laut was a business visitor to Calgary on Tuesday.

Mr. J. Ure of Carstairs is busy auditing the books of the Rosebud Municipality.

With the coming of the cold snap operations on the "Haven's" Garage ceased and we don't suppose that work will be resumed until the Ground Hog comes out to stay.

Mr. T. Chapman late of Laut's store has finally located at Camrose, Alta. We understand the goods are being shipped this weekend, Mr. Chapman having returned for that purpose. We extend best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Chapman in their new venture.

The Interior of the Home Cafe presents a far more appetizing appearance at present than it has for some years and it certainly brings credit on the present occupants.

Watch for fuller details regarding a LEAP YEAR DANCE in the I. O. O. F. Hall, on Friday February 13th.

Some People Say ---

**We are making a Big Mistake in
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We do not think so.

**We know we can give you better
values and Save you Money**

LOOK OVER THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

Men's All Wool Underwear,
Small Sizes 32-34-36 **\$2.25**
a garment

Boy's Caps, with fur bands
Regular value \$1.25 **90c**

Ladies Felt Slippers
worth \$1.75 a pair for **\$1.25**

Men's Light Weight Braces
Regular Price 45c, a pair **25c**

Men's Lined Mitts, Horse hide
some split Calf, clearing at **\$1.50**
a pair

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TO BUY SEED GRAIN

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Should an advance be necessary to buy seed grain--call and see our local Manager. He will be glad to discuss with you any matters in relation to the financing of your products.

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sisted upon a protocol to the
Treaty, and this protocol German
was compelled to sign on January 10,
before the exchange of ratifications
took place.

Peace is now an accomplished fact
and with the coming into effect of
the Treaty of Versailles the League
of Nations also becomes an estab-
lished organization. It is no longer mere
a paper organization, a document
of principles, outlining certain mach-
inery for the preservation of the peace
now proclaimed. It is a body officially
recognized by most of the nations of
the world, an organization, in which
the nations have membership, and to
the carrying out of whose aims and
objects they are pledged.

For the time being Germany and
the other nations which were in al-
liance with Germany in the war are
not admitted to membership in the
League. They must first prove their
sincerity and honesty of purpose in
carrying out the objects of the
League. Then and only then will
they be admitted to full membership.
The United States is not a member
as yet, because, owing to political dif-
ferences in that country, which are
acute because of the approaching
presidential election, the senate has
not yet ratified the Peace Treaty with
its League of Nations covenant. It is
inevitable, however, that the United
States will refuse to ratify the
Treaty of Versailles and join the
League. Such a refusal would be a
denial of everything for which the
American people went to war.

Included in the covenant of the
League of Nations is the new inter-
national labor organization, which
aims at the establishment of a new
and better order of things for indus-
trial workers throughout the world.
Not only is the League an established
fact, but it has already held its first
meeting at Paris and taken steps for
the efficient administration of the
many complex problems entrusted to

its care, and in the solution of which
alone will be found a guarantee of
permanent peace.

But while international peace has
been again established, a gigantic
task still confronts all nations in the
bringing about of domestic peace and
wholehearted co-operation among the
peoples of their respective countries.
The Great War created such a world
upheaval, and resulted in such a
loosening and breaking away from
the foundations and accepted condi-
tions of the past, largely destroying
old political ties and changing econ-
omic conditions everywhere, that men
today are more or less unsettled in
their ideas. It is a time when great
leaders, men of conviction and cour-
age, are needed, and when all people
require to exercise a large degree of
patience and a high and lofty
patience.

In the turmoil, suffering and sor-
rows of the Great War mankind
hopes that many of the old abuses and
evils of the past have been destroyed;
that all the destruction that took place
was not bad, but that much of it will
prove to have been good. On the
other hand, mankind also hopes that
because of the sacrifices made, the
sufferings borne, the patriotism and
siam displayed, there will emerge
a new conception of man's duty to
his fellow men, a higher standard in
intellectual attainment, in
actions, in community life.

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ignominious in party politics,
the cruelty and oppression and ruth-
lessness in business competition, be-
tween Capital and Labor, between the
classes and the masses, should be
superseded by a new spirit and a
ready willingness to co-operate the
one with the other for the good of all.
We have undergone all the suffer-
ings, the horrors, the losses of the
Great War. We have borne up and
worked together with a national de-
termination to achieve victory for the
right. We have accepted our losses in
a splendid spirit. Now, in the in-
terests of all and of our common
country which by our efforts we have
saved from enemy despoliation, let us
remain united, united more firmly
than ever, in cordial co-operation to
bring out of the Great Sorrow the
maximum of blessing to all.

To Prevent Influenza

Colds cause Grip and Influenza—LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVES' signature on box. 30c.

Looking to British Columbia for Lumber.

With Washington and Oregon mills reported to be booked up to capacity, eastern American timber buyers are now looking to Canada.

A. H. Purcell, of New York, representative of a big timber brokerage firm, has been in Vancouver for the past two or three weeks for that purpose, and is understood to have placed, or to be about to place, several large orders.

Wicks: "Back to town again? I thought you were a farmer?"
Hicks: "You made the same mistake I did."—Boston Transcript.

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some one in the fam-
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get away from such
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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can be obtained through any medicine dealer, or may be had by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Woman is a subject never mentioned in Morocco. It would be a terrible breach of etiquette to ask a man after his wife or wives.

Is Your Wife Bad Tempered?

Chances are she has corns that ache like fury. Buy her a bottle of Putnam's Corn Extractor. It acts painlessly, gives instant relief, and cures every kind of corn. Insist on getting only Putnam's Extractor. 25c. at all dealers.

Elephants Good Workers

Drivers Have Special Language Which the Animals Understand.

Elephants do their best work in driving timber, working it with the current releasing logs from jams and rolling the stranded logs back into the water. The elephant drivers have a special "elephant" language which the animals understand—a special elephant vocabulary with such terms as "Push sideways," "Roll," "Pull out," "Stop," "Lift your chains." They are magnificent swimmers. When they swim from bank to bank, herding the logs that require their special attention, you see nothing of them except the tips of their trunks through which they breathe, and the mahouts, or drivers, who are generally in water up to their waists. If a big stack or jam breaks suddenly where elephants are working, they know the danger of being overruled. They trumpet and clear out to either bank or swim downstream as fast as they can go.

W. N. U. 1299

Building Activity In Calgary

Calgary's Building Returns for 1919 Show \$1,000,000 Increase.

Bearing out the preliminary estimate published recently the total value of the building permits issued in Calgary, Alberta, during the year 1919, the completed figures show that the aggregate was nearly two and a quarter million dollars. The exact total was \$2,211,110, as compared to \$1,196,800 in 1918, an increase of \$1,014,300. For the last three years, the report of building permits issued each year have shown figures just about double those of the preceding year in value.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County—
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of E. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

FRANK J. CHENEY,
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A.D. 1919.
(Seal) A. W. Gleason, Notary Public, Lucas County, Ohio.
I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as shown to me by the said Frank J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Winter Cures For Farmers' Sons

The special winter course at the Regina College for sons of Saskatchewan farmers is more popular than ever. During the first week 65 young men have registered in it. The number of young men seeking the advantage of this course is greater than any other year.

WHEN YOU SUFFER FROM RHEUMATISM

Almost any man will tell you that Sloan's Liniment means relief.

For practically every man has need of it who has suffered from rheumatic aches, soreness of muscles, stiffness of joints, the results of weather exposure. Women, too, by the hundreds of thousands are relieved of rheumatic aches, lame backs, neuralgias, sick headaches. Clean, refreshing, soothing, "cooling," quickly effective. Say "Sloan's Liniment" to your druggist. Get it today. 35c, 70c, \$1.40. Made in Canada.

Sloan's Liniment
Keep it handy

The wise woman rules her husband by permitting him to think he's "it."

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Had It In Mind.
Papa (to the next room): "Ethel, aren't you ready to light the gas in there?"
Ethel: "Yes, papa; we are just speaking of—or—striking a match."—Pearson's Weekly.

Would Suit Him.

"Do you want a smart boy, sir?"
"No, I do all the work myself."
"That's just the kind of place I'd like, sir."—Boston Transcript.

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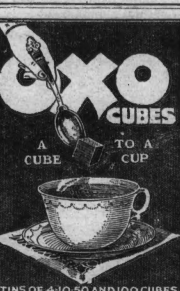
The name "Bayer" identifies the only genuine Aspirin—the Aspirin prescribed by physicians for over nineteen years and now made in Canada. Always buy an unbroken package of "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" which is few cents. Larger "Bayer" packages, too, are available.

Aspirin is the trade mark (registered in Canada) of Bayer Manufacture of Monopropionates of Salicylic Acid. While it is well known that Aspirin means Bayer manufacture, to assure the public against cheap imitations, the Tablets of Bayer Company must be stamped with their general trade mark, the "Bayer Cross".

CUTICURA HEALS BABY'S FACE

Could Not Sleep Eruption Itched and Burned So.

"I noticed a little pimple on my baby's face. I thought it was from the sun but it got worse and the skin was red and very hot. He could not sleep or rest the eruption itched and burned so, and it caused him to scratch. I was quite discouraged."
"I saw an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a free sample. I bought more and after using two cakes of Cuticura Soap and two and a half boxes of Cuticura Ointment he was healed." (Signed) Mrs. B. D. McQuire, Clarkburg, Ont., Dec. 18, 1919.
Use Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum for every-day toilet purposes. Get any "Cuticura" at all drug stores. One box of Cuticura Soap, 1/2 lb. 50c. Sold everywhere.



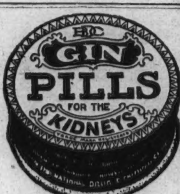
TINS OF 4-10-50 AND 100 CUBES

Gone Stale.

"Remember how the men in the theatre used to rush out for a breath of fresh air?"
"Yep. What of it?"
"The fresh air is still there, isn't it?"
"I dunno. Why?"
"It doesn't seem worth going after any more."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

A man never realizes what a small potato he is until he hears in a round-about way what the girl he could have married but did not, thinks of him.



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	WYCHITA LARGE	WYCHITA MEDIUM	WYCHITA SMALL	WY 2
Heavy Furred, Case	35.00 to 38.00	28.00 to 32.00	20.00 to 25.00	14.00 to 18.00
Open and Headless	25.00 to 30.00	18.00 to 22.00	10.00 to 12.00	11.00 to 15.00

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	WYCHITA LARGE	WYCHITA MEDIUM	WYCHITA SMALL	WY 2
Spring	8.00 to 7.00	6.50 to 5.50	5.00 to 3.75	3.00 to 2.00
Winter	6.50 to 5.50	5.00 to 4.00	3.50 to 2.75	2.50 to 1.50

MUSKRAT

	WYCHITA LARGE	WYCHITA MEDIUM	WYCHITA SMALL	WY 2
Fine, Dark	40.00 to 32.00	28.00 to 22.00	15.00 to 10.00	15.00 to 8.00
Usual Color	30.00 to 25.00	20.00 to 17.00	12.00 to 10.00	12.00 to 6.00
Pale	22.00 to 16.00	15.00 to 12.00	10.00 to 7.00	5.00 to 4.00

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Local and General.

Inter-Church Mass Meeting in Crossfield Union Church to tomorrow night (Friday) at 8 p.m. Chairman, Mr. W. McRory, Speakers Rev. W. Simpson of Anglican Church, Calgary and Rev. R. W. Dalgleish of Methodist Church, Calgary. Everybody Welcome. An offering for expenses.

Private Funds to Lend.—D. P. Hays, Carstairs.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Saturday, January 31st, Mrs. Lowe of Calgary, will give an illustrated Health talk, to ladies only, giving suggestions for promoting higher physical condition among women. All ladies are invited. Tea will be served.

Hockey

Our local hockey team met the Carstairs team here on Tuesday night, the first and second periods were an excellent brand of hockey but the third was by no means appreciated. At the conclusion of the game the score was 8-4 in favor of Carstairs but the score does not signify their superiority in so far as the game is concerned.

Died

It is with deep regret that we record the death of one of our well known and respected Rural residents in the person of Mr. T. H. Cormode who passed to the "Great Beyond" on Friday, January 23rd, at 2 o'clock. The deceased had been ailing for some time. Our sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Frances Nickawa Recital

People greatly enjoyed the Frances Nickawa Recital at Union Church last Monday night. This Canadian Indian Entertainer is youthful and it is safe to say that she will yet achieve a nation wide reputation such as Pauline Johnson held. The attendance was good considering the extreme cold and the bad roads. Both the entertainer and the audience experienced some difficulty with the interruptions by little children. Miss Nickawa's program was of a widely varied character including Scotch, Dutch, Negro and children's readings in addition to her great Indian selections. Side-splitting humor was succeeded by stirring adventure, the tender sentiments of love and romance, dreamy imagination and grim tragedy. Miss Nickawa was well assisted by Mrs. M. Turner, the Orchestra and Dr. D. W. Whillans. Travelling with Miss Nickawa was the veteran missionary Miss Riley who adopted her at four years of age and has had a great deal to do with her success. The program was as follows:—

Part I
Orchestral Selection, Reading by Miss Nickawa (a) Encouragement (b) A Few Bars in the Key of G, Solo, "In the Garden of My Heart" Mrs. M. Turner, Readings by Miss Nickawa (a) Setting a Hen (b) Canadian Born, Solo, "Our Yesterdays" Dr. D. W. Whillans, Reading by Miss Nickawa "The Party." Intermission

Part 2
Miss Nickawa in superb Indian Costume (a) The Song My Paddle Sings (b) A Red Men Die, Selection by Orchestra, Reading by Miss Nickawa "Dawdine" Solo, The Garden of Your Heart" Mrs. M. Turner, Reading by Miss Nickawa "Ojibah"

God Save The King
Wanted: Listings on Land.—D. P. Hays, Carstairs, Alberta.

Annual Vestry Meeting of the Church of the Ascension

The annual meeting of the Church of the Ascension took place at the home of Mr. Ivor Lewis, and considering the inclemency of the weather a fair number of the members attended.

The minutes of the last annual meeting and the balance sheet were passed as read. The Rev. J. P. Dingle who presided, read his annual Parochial letter. The next business was the appointment of officers for the ensuing year. Mr. Dingle appointed Mr. Ivor Lewis as his warden, Mr. R. Whiffeld, re-elected as people's warden. The Vestrymen are Messrs. J. Cavander, G. McLeod, H. Kay, H. Scheldens, J. Conrad, Tarrant, W. Woledge, W. Tine, G. Fox, F. Goodsell, F. L. Watters and T. H. Pakenham. Lay delegates to the Synod were as follows: Mr. F. L. Watters, Mr. Allen Mounsgrove, with Mr. J. S. Hunter as substitute. Mr. J. Cavander was appointed auditor for 1920.

Mrs. G. McLeod proposed a vote of thanks to Mr. Dingle for the able letter that he had read at the commencement of the meeting.

Mrs. McFarlane read a statement of the accounts of the Women's Auxiliary which were most satisfactory.

The Rev. J. P. Dingle proposed a vote of thanks to the members of the Women's Auxiliary for the splendid work that they had done during the year.

Mr. Lewis proposed, and Mrs. McFarlane seconded a vote of thanks to the organist and officers of the Sunday school.

A vote of thanks was also passed to the members of the Church for the generous hospitality that had been extended to the different clergymen who visited the parish. The thanks of the meeting were also given to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis for their kindness in giving the use of their home for the meeting.

Estrays

Impounded in the Municipal District of Rosedale Found on Sec. 25, 28, 28, W. 4; One Black Mare, Branded 4, about 5 yrs. One Black Mare, no brand, 5 years old. One Bay Mare, 6 years old. Branded X on left shoulder, with colt at foot. One Bay Mare, no brand, 8 year old. One Calica Pony. Branded U on left shoulder. One Iron Grey Filly, 2 years old. No Brand. One Grey Colt, one year old, no brand.

One Sorrel Mare, 4 years old. Branded on right thigh CV One Cream Pony, Two Grey Mare, Brown Mare, Bay Colt, Two Black Colts, Grey Filly, Black Colt 1 year old, 4 Sucking Colts, Brown Mare with strip on face, Black Mare, with white face and hind feet white. All these are branded Q2 on right thigh.

D. BILLIS, Poundkeeper.

Crossfield School District No. 753
The Regular Meeting of the above School Board will be held at the School House at 10 a. m. on the first Saturday of the following month: January, March, May, July, September and November. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting. The office of the Sec. Treas. is in the Crossfield High Store.

J. B. McLaren, Chairman, Merrick Thomas, Sec. Treas.



\$250.00 REWARD

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That will lead to conviction of anyone criminally taking or disposing of any Cattle or Horses branded by underigned.

Brand **IT** Horses Left Thigh. Cattle Left Hip.

Earmark square crop each ear, with wire in stub. Registered horses branded and numbers right side of neck.

G. F. STOOKE.

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Estrays

Strayed from Walkers' Place, Sampson, Two, three year old Steers, Branded as cut on right shoulder \$5.00 reward per head for information leading to recovery. Phone L. Chambers, R916, Calgary.

NOTICE

Cattle Brand **TX** left hip.

Both ears cut off with wire in stub. Horse Brand **TX** left stifle or thigh. Thomas Amery.

Also Cattle Brand **U** right hip.

Both ears cut off with hand in right stub with name and address.

Horse Brand **U** right thigh.

Amery and Son.

Anyone having strays with any of the above brands or ear marks please notify

THOMAS AMERY,
Phone 105 or AMERY & SON,
or 708 Crossfield, Alta.

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8:30 o'clock p.m. By Order of the Village Council. Sd-52. W. McRory, Sec. Treas.

CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. F.

No. **42**
Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.
Visiting Brothers Welcome.
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Folks that use Dr. Hamilton's Pills are never sick, never an ache or a pain—feel good all the time simply because their system is clean, regulated and healthy. This you can easily prove yourself.

THE COW PUNCHER

—BY
ROBERT J. C. STEAD

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A fire was burning in the grate Dave walked to it, and very slowly and deliberately thrust the agreement and the cheque into the flame. For a moment the printed letters stood out after the body of the paper was consumed; then all fell in ashes.

"Well, if that doesn't beat all!" Mrs. Hardy ejaculated. "Are all cow-punchers so discourteous?"

"I mean no discourtesy," said Dave. "And I hope you will let me say now what I should have said before, that it was with the deepest regret I learned from your conversation of the death of Dr. Hardy. He was a gentleman who commanded my respect, as he must have commanded the respect of all who knew him. If my behaviour has seemed abrupt I assure you I have only sought to serve Dr. Hardy's widow—and his daughter."

"It is a peculiar service," Mrs. Hardy answered curtly. She felt she had a grievance against Dave. He had not lived down to her conception of what a real Westerner should be. Even the act of burning the agreement and the cheque, dramatic though it was, had a touch of the seemed inappropriate. Dave should have snatched the papers—torn them to the fire and tossed them away. Hardy felt that in such conduct Dave had been running true to form. His assumption of the manners of a gentleman annoyed her exceedingly.

"I can only apologize for my partner's behaviour," said Conward. "It need not, however, affect the transaction in the slightest degree. A new agreement will be drawn at once—an agreement in which the firm of Conward & Elden will not be concerned."

"That will be more satisfactory," said Mrs. Hardy. She intended the remark for Dave's ears, but he had moved to a corner of the room and was conversing in low tones with Irene.

"I am sorry I had to make your mother's acquaintance under circumstances which I fear, she will not even try to understand," he had said to Irene. "I am sure she will not credit me with unskillful motives."

"Oh, Dave—Mr. Elden, I mean—that is— you don't know how proud you don't know how much of a man you made me feel you are," she was flushed and excited. "Perhaps I shouldn't talk like this. Perhaps..."

"It all depends on one thing," Dave interrupted.

"What is that?"

"It all depends on whether we are Miss Hardy and Mr. Elden, or whether we are still Irene and Dave."

Her bright eyes fell on his, and the floor, and he could see the tremor of her fingers as they rested on the back

of a chair. She did not answer him directly. But in a moment she spoke. "Mother will buy the house from Mr. Conward," she said. "She is like that. And when we are settled you will come and see me, won't you—Dave?"

CHAPTER FOURTEEN.

When the Hardys had gone Conward turned to Elden. "We had better try and find out where we stand," he said, trying to speak dispassionately, but there was a tremor in his voice.

"I agree," returned Elden, who had no desire to evade the issue. "Do you consider it fair to select inexperienced women for your victims?"

Conward made a deprecating gesture. "There is nothing to be gained by quarrelling, Dave," he said. "Let us face the situation fairly. Let us get at the facts. When we have agreed as to facts, then we may agree as to procedure."

"Shout," said Dave. He stood with his shoulder toward Conward, watching the dusk settling about the foot-city. The streets led away into the gathering darkness, and the square brick blocks stood in the shrouds against a champagne sky.

He became conscious of a strange yearning for this young metropolis; a sort of parental brooding over a bolsterless, lovable, wayward youth. It was his city; no one could claim it more than he. And it was a good city to look upon, and to mingle in, and to dream about...

"I think," said Conward, "we can agree that the boom is over. It has fed upon itself, and eventually they eat themselves up. We have done well, on paper, but the boom is to convert our paper into cash."

Dave turned about. "You know I don't claim to be any great strategist," Conward said, "and I have no pity for a gambler who deliberately sits in and gets the little savings of their lives—women like Bert Morrison and Mrs. Hardy—then I am going to have a good deal to say. And there is that—what's his name?"

"Merton, I think; a lumberer if there ever was one. He has written all over him; a widower, too, with a little boy, sent out here as his wife's claim—your love him with stuff where he can't see the smoke of the city, and you call it city."

"That's what I want to say," said Dave, with rising heat. "If business has to be done that way, then I say, to hell with business!"

"Conward returned, with remarkable composure. 'I suggested that we get the facts. That seems to be a business suggestion. I think we are agreed that the boom is over. We are on the down grade. The boomsters are departing. They are moving on to new fields as we should have done two or three years ago, but I confess I have a sort of sentiment for this place. Well—that is the price of sentiment. It won't mix with business. Now, granting that the boom is over, where do we stand?"

"We are rated as millionaires, but we haven't a thousand dollars in the bank at this moment. This," he lifted his cheque, "would have been seen us over next day, but you say the firm must have nothing to do with it. And which is more immoral—since you have spoken of morality—to accept labor from clerks whom you can't, or to sell property to women who say they want it and are satisfied with the price. We make our income by selling property. As soon as the sales stop, the income stops. Well, the sales have stopped. But the expenses go on. We have literally thousands of unsettled contracts. We must keep our staff together. We have debts to pay, and we owe it to our creditors to make collections so that we can pay those debts, and we can't make collections without staff. I sympathize with your feelings on this matter, Dave, but what's a man to do?"

"It's like war; we must kill or be killed. Business is war, of a kind. Why, on the property we are now holding the taxes alone will amount to twenty thousand dollars a year. And I put it up to you, if we are going to stand on sentiment, who's going to pay the taxes?"

"I know," said Dave, whose anger over the treatment of the Hardys was already subsiding. "We are in the grip of the System. As you have said, it is kill or be killed. Still—in war they don't usually bill women and non-combatants. That is the point I am trying to make. I've no sentiment about others who are in the same boat as we are. If you limit your operations to them—"

"The trouble is, you can't. They're with us. They're the bottom going, and they quit. Most of them have already moved on. A few firms, like ourselves, stay and try to fight it out; try, at least, to close up with a clean sheet. If we must close up, but we can't wind up a business without selling the stock on hand, and to whom are we to sell it? That is what you seem to object to."

"You place me in rather an unfair light," Dave protested.

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people—people of moderate circumstances, mainly in exchange for property which we know to be worth next to nothing."

"Yet you admit that we must clean up, don't you?"

"Yes, I suppose so."

"And there's no other way, Dave," said Conward, rising and placing an arm on his partner's shoulder, "sympathize with your point of view, but my boy, it's pure sentiment, and sentiment has no place in business. And you remember the terms of our partnership, don't you?"

(To be continued.)

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Look at tongue! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver and bowels



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels.

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Alberta Hogs Make Good

Canadian Bred Swine Found Superior to Imported Stock.

The high merit of the class of livestock being produced in Western Canada today is evidenced by the following incident related by Mr. William Gilbert, of Stony Plain, a small town situated in the centre of the richest farming districts of Central Alberta.

Two years ago Mr. Gilbert sold a yearling Berkshire boar to a farmer in Saskatchewan. The brother of this farmer, a large swine raiser in Nebraska, visiting him shortly after, saw the boar and was so impressed with him that he was very anxious to purchase him to head his own large American herd. This he succeeded in doing, and after using the boar for two years he now writes Mr. Gilbert ordering forty new sows as the demand for the progeny of his Gilbert-bred boar is so great that he is unable to fill half of his orders.

While Mr. Gilbert imported his two herd boars from the States and is importing other stock from time to time he finds that the first cross on the "Canadian bred sows gives swine even superior to the imported progenitors, excelling them in size, bone, length, smoothness and also in the set of their hinders. Swine breeders recognize these as very important points.

Watching Immigrants

Federal Authorities Scrutinizing Entries for Possible Reds.

Immigration authorities at Ottawa, while admitting that the hunted "Reds" of the United States will endeavor to secure sanctuary in Canada, point out that the immigration laws of Canada are very strictly opposed to the entrance of undesirable, that immigration officers all along the border are on the alert to keep them out and that in addition the mounted police cordon is now spread from the Pacific through the prairie provinces down toward Rainsy river and Thunder bay.

As a matter of fact, several intending entrants already have been barred back on suspicion; others may be held pending investigation and a clean bill is being demanded of all would-be immigrants.



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"Have you consulted your doctor, Rufus?"

"No, sah, I ain't don't dat, sah."

"Why? Aren't you willing to trust your doctor, Rufus?"

"Oh, yes, sah. But de trouble is he's not so al'thether willin' to trust me, sah."—Yonkers Statesman.

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A Big Slump In Trade With The United States

Winnipeg. — In a despatch from its Ottawa correspondent, the Telegram says:

"The feature of the trade returns for November is that imports from the United States for the month show a decrease of \$1,500,000 as compared with October, while those from Great Britain show an increase of about \$1,200,000. The exports show a decline of approximately \$6,000,000 as compared with October, while those of the United Kingdom show an increase of \$5,600,000.

"The increase to the latter country is undoubtedly due to the shipments of wheat hurried out before the close of navigation.

"For the first eight months of the present fiscal year, exports to the United States declined \$7,500,000 and imports declined \$23,800,000. To the United Kingdom for the same period, export declined \$36,000,000, while imports increased \$11,500,000."

The Newspaper Shortage

Mounted Police Are Instructed to See That Newspaper Order Is Enforced.

Ottawa. — The cabinet council took up the question of the newspaper shortage which is causing the suspension of western Canadian newspapers through the action of the Fort Frances Pulp and Paper company in defying the orders of the paper controller, R. A. Pringle.

The government, it is understood, is determined that the action of the paper controller will have full official support and that his orders must be carried out by the company in question.

The commissioner of the mounted police, Commissioner Perry, who is now in Ottawa, has been requested to see that the orders of Mr. Pringle for the delivery of newspaper to the western papers are enforced.

Manitoba Police Force Increased.

Winnipeg. — When Manitoba's new police force is organized and ready for duty, which Col. J. G. Rattray, head of the law enforcement department, states will be on April 1, it will have a strength of sixty men instead of the limited number at present. Elimination of special constables with their other occupations, will be a feature of the new system.

Armed Bandits Hold Up Bank.

Philadelphia. — Four armed motor bandits held up the Beaver-Brook Bank in the suburbs, got \$6,000 in cash and some securities and escaped after holding up the cashier and other employees. It was one of the most daring daylight robberies ever executed in this city.

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Facing Serious Charges

Half Million Dollar Bail Is Set for Youths in Chicago.

Chicago. — Five youths, all under 22 years of age, who are charged with half a hundred robberies and the attempted murder of policemen, will have to produce nearly half a million dollars in bonds before they are released.

After thirty victims of recent robberies had identified the prisoners, Judge Jarecki fixed their bonds at a figure which he said "would keep them out of trouble for some time."

The five bonds aggregate \$420,000. That of Henry Olsen, the alleged leader of the band, was the highest, being fixed at \$180,000. The next highest bond was \$90,000.

Robbers Taken by Surprise

Police Declare Plot Was Made to Steal Liquor to Sell at High Price in U.S.

St. Paul. — Railroad detectives surprised robbers attempting to break in to a freight car containing 1,600 cases of whiskey estimated to be worth \$216,000 en route to Winnipeg from St. Louis, and Jack Burke, local prize fighter, was shot and killed by a policeman.

Harry Rabinovitch, of Winnipeg, said by federal authorities to have purchased the liquor in St. Louis and plotted to have the car robbed here while on its way to Canada where the whiskey could be sold for higher prices than are being paid in Canada, was arraigned before a federal commissioner. He pleaded not guilty to the charge of conspiracy to rob the car and was remanded to jail. He was unable to furnish \$25,000 bail.

Italian Flier in Long Flight

Completed 435 Miles of Journey from Saloniki to Adalia in Caproni Airplane.

Rome. — The Caproni airplane which left here on Saturday to stake a route for the Rome-Tokio flight being arranged for by the Italian government, left Saloniki at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning for Adalia, on the gulf of the Adalia, and arrived at the latter place at 3:30 o'clock the same afternoon, according to advices received here. From Saloniki to Adalia, the flying distance is approximately 435 miles. The plane maintained a speed of about 72 miles an hour over this course.

Deplores Crime Wave.

Toronto. — Deploping the fact that, despite prohibition, crime was on the increase and the jail population was growing here, Mr. Justice Middleton in his charge to the grand jury at the opening of the assizes told the jurymen that if they could suggest any way to curb the outbreak of crime, it was their duty to do so. The judge said a wave of crime seemed to be sweeping over the whole world.

Holland and the League.

The Hague. — Jonkheer Kamebrek the foreign minister, announced that, although Holland had not yet decided to enter the League of Nations, delegates have been sent to Paris to arrange Holland's participation in the league's plans regarding shipping on the Rhine.

Australia Still Bares German Goods.

London. — Notwithstanding the exchange of ratifications of the German peace treaty, putting it into effect, the Australian government is to keep still in use the Customs act, prohibiting the importation of German goods, it is declared in a Melbourne message.

Lloyd George Is Decimated.

Paris. — On the occasion of the ratification last Saturday of the treaty of Versailles, the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor was bestowed upon Premier Lloyd George, of Great Britain, and Premier Nitti, of Italy.

Ten Million For Technical Education

Professor L. W. Gill Coming West to Discuss the Question.

Ottawa. — Professor L. W. Gill, director of technical education under the federal department of labor, will leave on a trip which will take him to the Pacific Coast conference on technical education which will be held with all the western provincial governments, and it is hoped that agreements tending to the promotion of this form of education, may be consummated. The federal government has set aside the sum of ten million dollars for the promotion of technical education in Canada, which is designed to cover a period of ten years.

Agreements provide that the provinces shall expend an equal amount to that which they receive from the Dominion government.

Berlin Riots

Forty-two Killed and Over One Hundred Were Wounded.

London. — Reuters' Berlin correspondent, under date of Wednesday, says it is officially announced and seems to be finally established that 42 persons were killed and 105 wounded in the Reichstag fighting. The estimates of the Berlin papers of the casualties in the rioting place the dead in excess of thirty and the wounded at one hundred.

Quiet prevailed during the night; the street patrols were heavily reinforced.

Eye-witnesses estimated the casualties in the riots in Berlin on Tuesday at 50 killed and 100 wounded, according to the Reich correspondent. The police were finally compelled to throw bombs among the rioters causing a panic, in which many were struck by bullets and numbers, including many women, were trampled under foot.

Says Treaty Will Be Ratified Soon.

Chicago. — William Jennings Bryan, en route to Washington, predicted that the senate would ratify the Peace Treaty on Thursday. While giving no specific reason for expecting this action, Mr. Bryan said that the senate must bow to the public demand that there be no more delay.

"The people want action," he said, "instead of words."

Admiral Napier Will Visit U. S.

New York. — Vice-Admiral Sir Trevelyan Napier, who commanded a British cruiser squadron in the battle of Jutland, will visit the United States within the next ten days on his way to Bermuda, where he will assume command of North America and West Indies stations of the British fleet, it was announced here. Admiral Napier was mentioned in despatches several times during the war and was created a companion of the Bath.

Another Epidemic OF THE SPANISH INFLUENZA

A great many authorities have predicted a return of that terrible plague which swept Canada from one end to the other not long ago and left so many victims in its wake, and those who did survive were left in a great many cases with some serious after-effects, such as weak heart, shattered nerves, impoverished blood and a general weakened and exhausted condition of the system.

If you are run down, heart not just right, nerves a little shaky, take a few boxes of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and fortify the system against this terrible plague.

If you had the "flu" before and it left you with any bad after effect, Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will bring you back to health and strength.

Mrs. C. C. Palmer, Keppel, Sask., writes: "I wish to inform you of the great good Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills did for me. After a bad attack of the Spanish influenza my heart and nerves were left in a very bad condition. I got two boxes of your pills and must say they are the best I ever used, and I have taken a great many different kinds. I will always keep Heart and Nerve Pills in the house."

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Short Production Principal Cause Of High Prices

Heavy Fighting With Bolshevik Forces

Seventeen Columns of Polish Troops Are Reported to Have Been Captured.

London. — The Bolshevik forces in Siberia are moving eastward rapidly along the trans-Siberian railway. The capture of seventeen columns of Polish legionaries, sixteen guns and 20,000 to the Pacific Coast conference on technical education which will be held with all the western provincial governments, and it is hoped that agreements tending to the promotion of this form of education, may be consummated. The federal government has set aside the sum of ten million dollars for the promotion of technical education in Canada, which is designed to cover a period of ten years.

The occupation of Balaya station, about forty miles east of Krasnyarsk, is also reported. The communication says that in the Revel station region fighting continues. In the region of Jacobstadt the Bolshevik retired about a half mile from the river Dabna.

Assist Stranded Soldiers

Help Will Be Given Individual Cases of Discharged Canadians in England.

Ottawa. — Questioned as to a report that provision was being made for bringing back to Canada some 3,000 Canadians who had taken their discharge in England and were now in straitened circumstances, Hon. J. A. Calder, minister of immigration and colonization, and who is also acting minister of militia, stated that no such wholesale action was being taken. Members of the C.E.F. who were discharged in England, he said, had entered into an undertaking that there was to be no further provision for their repatriation, but it was now found that many of them were in serious circumstances. Each individual case is being considered on its own merits, but where it is thought that a man would be better repatriated, he is being brought to Canada. The minister could make no estimate as to the number who would be brought across in this manner.

Want \$200,000,000

Manitoba Great War Veterans Pass Resolution on Big Reconstruction Policy.

Winnipeg. — A resolution urging the federal government to set aside an appropriation of \$200,000,000 for the purpose of carrying out a reconstruction policy and for the re-establishment of returned soldiers under the G.W.V.A. re-establishment plan, was adopted by the Manitoba command of the Great War Veterans' association.

The scheme suggested in the resolution includes a comprehensive system of development of the natural resources of the Dominion.

Ontario to Censor Theatre Posters.

Winnipeg. — The Telegram's Toronto correspondent states that an order-in-council has been passed by the Ontario government appointing a board of censors for the purpose of passing on posters, hand bills, cuts, newspaper and periodical advertising, banners, flags, photos, and lobby displays in picture theatres. The charge to the film exchange will be \$150 and to the theatres \$10 each. All advertising must be censored before they appear in the newspapers under a penalty of from \$20 to \$100.

Alberta Liquor Profits.

Edmonton. — The profits of the Alberta government on liquor sold within the province under the provisions of the act, amounted to \$109 in 1919 to about \$400,000. This information is contained in a statement issued by Attorney-General Boyle.

Saskatchewan's Population.

Regina. — Saskatchewan's population is now 833,267, according to an announcement made in the legislature by Premier Martin, who based his statement on figures compiled by the vital statistics branch of the provincial health bureau.

Toronto. — Canada's need, more production, was emphasized by Sir Edmund Walker, president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, at the bank's annual meeting here. Sir Edmund said:

"While we and the rest of the world are failing to produce on a sufficient scale to provide for human comfort and to pay our debts, the price of everything has so increased that although our clearing house and trade returns show high figures in money, these generally represent transactions based on smaller quantities of merchandise and because we think in terms of dollars and not of merchandise, we are living in a fool's paradise."

Sir Edmund urged a continuation in the development of the industrial resources of the country in a similar spirit of co-operation to that which had won the war. "The rising curve of prices," he said, "cannot be made to turn downward without an increase in production nor can we face the heavy obligations left by the war except by greatly increasing production."

Sir John Aird, general manager of the Bank of Commerce, gave a resume of the situation in respect to foreign exchange. "The rehabilitation of our dollar," he declared, "can only be accomplished by saving, economy and greater production."

No Relief From High Prices

Prof. G. W. Warren Thinks Cost of Living May Drop in From Five to Fifteen Years.

Winnipeg. — People who look for an immediate drop in the cost of living are due to disappointment, according to Prof. G. W. Warren, of Cornell university, one of the speakers of the Manitoba Rural Credit Societies here.

The only consolation Prof. Warren could give an expectant world was this: "Although the pre-war level may never be reached, it seems probable that a very considerable drop in prices will take place in five to fifteen years."

High prices Professor Warren attributed not to the peace treaty, as he said some Americans were prone to believe, nor to profiteering and increased wages, but to inflated values, due to war conditions, and the world shortage of goods.

London. — Two Americans were killed and three wounded in a clash with an armored train of Gen. Semanoff, commander in chief of All-Russian armies, between Lake Balkal and Verkhneindinsk in the province of Transbaikal, according to the correspondent of the Daily Mail, at Harbin. The Americans were reported to have captured the train.

Chicago. — A six-year job faces federal prohibition agents in making the United States dry, according to H. M. Gaylord, deputy commissioner of internal revenue of Washington, D.C., who addressed agents and inspectors of mid-western states.

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It is a sticky ether compound which dries the moment it is applied and simply shrivels the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. It is claimed that a quarter of an ounce of freestone will cure very little at any of the drug stores, but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or wart.

You are further warned that cutting at a corn is a suicidal habit.

Plan Proposed For World Police Force

National disarmament must be a slow process, advancing with the increase of public confidence in the League of Nations, but if the league meant anything at all its effect on their present methods of defense would be revolutionary. This was the argument put forward by Major David Davies, M.P., who read a paper outlining a scheme for the creation of an international police force, before the Grotius Society in London. The day would come, he continued, when the state which maintained a large army would be looked upon with the gravest suspicion as being either ready or about to commit an unprovoked assault upon the rights of others. The League of Nations would be the big insurance policy.

Nations could not be entirely deprived of their armies, but to insure that internal order was secured and that the League was provided with an effective sanction, a method must be devised—(a) To allow each nation an army sufficient to maintain internal order within its own boundaries and sufficient also to furnish its quota for the League of Nations when required; (b) To insure that the quota of any nation should not be rendered useless by the employment of a new weapon of war by another nation; (c) to provide the League of Nations with an adequate force for an immediate use.

Major Davies proposed that poison gas, war planes, submarines, heavy artillery, and tanks should be ceded to the League to form the headquarters force and that no state should be allowed to own them or to make use of any new invention for warlike purposes. The moment when they could most easily be transferred to the international police force, he maintained, was now.

U.S. Cattlemen Visit The North Country

Expressed Their Satisfaction With The Prospects For Stock Raising.

A number of prospective ranchers and stockmen from the Southern States have made inspection trips to the vast territory of unutilized land north of Battleford, Saskatchewan, as a result of the arrangement recently made by the Federal Government whereby land for stock raising and mixed farming may be obtained under a twenty-year lease. Only such land as is unsuitable for agriculture and that which lies beyond the range of present settlement is subject to this lease. Several ranchers now returning south have expressed their satisfaction with the prospects for stock raising. W. B. Phillips, of Montana, who prospected the Meadow Lake district, 100 miles north of Battleford, gives it as his opinion that it is an ideal region for mixed farming.

Lumbering in 1918

A preliminary report on the timber industry in Canada has just been completed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics covering the returns of 3,086 operating plants for the year 1918. A detailed report by provinces is in course of preparation.

The total capital invested in the industry amounted to \$180,017,178. The number of persons employed on salaries was 3,550. The total amount paid in wages was \$49,493,917. The aggregate value of production for the year was \$14,908,864, comprising the following principal items: sawn lumber, \$102,335,772; shingles, \$8,124,968; laths, \$1,560,136; pulpwood, \$18,416,438; and miscellaneous products, including co-operative stock, poles, cross ties, posts, veneer, etc., to the value of \$14,471,550.

Lumber cut by provinces was as follows:

Province	Quantity ft.	Value
British Columbia	\$1,141,197,000	\$27,992,976
Alberta	1,421,429	\$3,429,624
Manitoba	50,047,000	1,240,052
New Brunswick	439,625,000	12,189,312
Nova Scotia	166,332,000	4,089,035
Ontario	1,182,238,000	33,165,137
Prince Edward Island	6,392,000	136,336
Quebec	841,084,000	20,910,608
Saskatchewan	75,348,000	1,754,000
Yukon	229,000	10,315

Poet Maeterlinck On Psychology

Studying the Possibility of Communicating With the Spirit World.

Maurice Maeterlinck, in America to lecture on the immortality of the soul, is studying the possibility of communicating with the spirit world and of the soul's appearance in a tangible form before mortals. The Belgian author and philosopher said he has an "open mind" on these theories of spiritualism and is giving them much thought. "In my lecture," he said, "I will explain to the people of America the scientific proofs of the existence of an immortal soul." He gave as one concrete "proof" the fact that 50 years ago two German doctors discovered a fluid in the human body "which could be guarded in a bottle after death and which did not die." He also expressed as one of his theories the belief that thought is antecedent to the brain and creates brain drawing therefrom the conclusion that thought cannot die even should the brain perish.

"The common belief that thought is only a secretion of the brain is false," he declared, and gave as still further reason for his belief in an undying soul examples to prove the existence of a subconscious mind.

A Whistling Language

Natives in Canary Islands Hold Conversations Through This Medium.

Plants, caves and trees are recorded amongst the "whistlers" of the carib, and it is interesting to find that in Nubia and the Sudan there grows a species of acacia which the natives call the "whistling" tree. Its "whistle" is not that of an ordinary blowing of the wind through its branches, but it arises from the air playing on some holes of a bladder-like formation, being the work of insects.

The United States has "whistling" caves and "quacking" sands. A whistling well in Kansas has been known to give notice of coming storms, the rushing wind over it causing a loud shrill warning of approaching squalls. The New Guinea whistling snake is very dangerous, and many deaths have been reported. It rushes to an intruder with a whistling noise, and the bite causes almost instantaneous death.

Australia, it is said, can boast of whistling spiders, whistling snakes, and whistling moths. It is recorded that in the Canary Islands the natives are expert whistlers, and hold conversation with each other through this medium. Travellers who have been to these islands tell how they have learnt the strange language, and also how long and complicated conversations have been held by whistling with a neighbor a mile away.

Little Speculation

One feature of the activity in Western farm lands is the large percentage of purchasers who intend to farm themselves. One Winnipeg real estate dealer, who has negotiated many sales for farms during the past six months, states that in 80 per cent of the cases the land was sold to the men who will settle there. This fact is of interest, as it indicates that the heavy demand for good farms in the West that has been apparent during the past six months has been of a simple nature and has not partaken of the nature of land speculation.

It is estimated by some that since the movement from the United States to Western Canada commenced last spring farm lands have increased 20 per cent in value.

Three Sexes. "How many sexes are there?"
Little boy: "Three."
Teacher: "What are they?"
Little boy: "The male sex, the female sex, and the insects." London Ideas.

A Proposed Air Service

May Establish Service in Alberta From North to South

"There are the greatest possibilities for an airplane service in Alberta," connecting the international boundary in the south with Fort Vermilion in the north by a chain of airbases and sub-stations at a comparatively small expenditure," was the statement made by Major Arthur G. Lincoln, formerly of the Royal Air Force.

Major Lincoln has been selected to make an examination of the prairie provinces, with a view to selecting a section of the country where airbases and sub-stations could be built and flights undertaken which would assist in the general development of the country.

The Major is endeavoring to collect sufficient data to warrant the government establishing an air service at an early date, and he hopes to be able to make a report on the undertaking can be promoted on a self-sustaining basis. This can be done by adapting air services for several government purposes, he says, which heretofore were carried on by slow and expensive methods, owing to the great distances to be covered. These include such work as police patrols, school inspections, forestry patrol, assistance to topographical and geographical surveys, photographic maps of government lands, and reconnaissance work for railways and roads.

All such tasks, says Major Lincoln, would be undertaken by air at a great saving over the present cost, while the amount of work accomplished in a season would be doubled many times in the time saved traveling from point to point. A survey of the mineral resources in the Peace River area alone, Major Lincoln says, would pay for the service in one year. The service would be invaluable in supplying mail to outlying and sparsely settled districts, and would greatly facilitate the surveying of the north country.

Major Lincoln estimates call for an airplane service from the boundary to Fort Vermilion, a distance of 1,200 miles by present routes of travelling, by the establishment of a string of airbases along the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains, a route which is at present impassable except with the use of pack-horse.

"Our Canadian pilots are well equipped to handle the work," said Major Lincoln, "as the experience gained during the war would make the necessary flying for this service very simple and easy in comparison."

Great Outlook for Farmers

Henry B. Thompson Says There Is The Chance of a Lifetime for Exporters.

Henry B. Thompson, formerly chairman of the Canada food board, who was in Toronto on his way to Ottawa, said he had spent months with the Canadian mission in London, in an interview, said the farmers and livestock producers of the Dominion have the chance of their lives to establish themselves in special lines against all comers in the British markets. Canadian bacon has unquestionably gained the goodwill of the British people, said Mr. Thompson, and it commands a better price than the American product.

The co-foed controller said he found a readiness everywhere to take Canadian beef if steady in supply. The total importation of beef into the United Kingdom is about five million hundredweights a year, and if Canadian exports of this commodity were increased twenty times it would only just fill the British requirement, not to speak of the great continental markets that Mr. Thompson thought would be open soon.

The trend of eggs in 1920 would be two and a half billion, he said, and the largest export from the Dominion in one year was only forty-five million.

"Everything points to a meat shortage in Europe next year," said Mr. Thompson emphatically, "and I don't think the Canadian farmer should take the short view of the livestock situation but go on breeding his meat animals and grading up the export trade to a permanent basis. He will be sure to reward greater than he looked for."

New Field For Producing Alfalfa

Canadian Bacon A Favorite in Britain

Has Become Chiefly a Question of How Much This Country Can Produce.

Canadian bacon during the war established its superiority over competitors in the British market that it has become chiefly a question of how much this country can produce; that is the only limit to the field. Export values have increased sixteen times over-war figures. Canadian Wiltshire side became a favorite on the British breakfast table. The quality was severely tested recently, when owing to vast congestion at the British ports, large quantities of American bacon products, unable to stand the unfavorable conditions, became unfit for food. Canadian bacon, under the same conditions, because of its better curing process came through with very little loss.

Mr. Henry B. Thompson, lately chairman of the Canada Food Board, while in England, made a canvass of importers of bacon, all of whom enthusiastically praised the Dominion product and declared that there will be a demand for it only limited by the supply. Regularity of production to keep up a steady market they considered requisite and agreed that everything should be done to encourage a steady supply of hogs. Canadian packers, impressed with the national opportunity in the export market revealed in the last two years, and convinced that in many lines Canadian farmers can compete with other sources of meat food supplies, have formed the Industrial and Development Council of Meat Packers with headquarters in Toronto, Ontario, to foster and extend live stock farming. As progressive business men they are convinced that live stock farming and meat packing are industries so intimately bound together as to insure the growth of agricultural Canada. The one finds the best markets on the largest scale for what the other can produce.—Canadian Farm.

Western Ranging Permits

All Permits Shall Be On a Yearly Basis, Terminating April 1.

A change in the method of leasing school lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta is provided for in a Dominion order-in-council. The order which formally governed grazing permits on school lands in those provinces is rescinded, and it is provided that all permits shall be on a yearly basis, terminating April 1, at a rental of ten cents per acre per annum, subject to change at the discretion of the minister of the interior. The permittee shall not graze any other than his own stock, neither shall he assign or transfer any interest in the permit without the consent of the minister before formally governing grazing permits on the land at least one head of stock for every thirty acres of land included in the permit. The erection of fences and temporary buildings only is permitted, and any renewals shall be from year to year, at the discretion of the minister. A permit to cut hay for his own use may be secured by the permittee free, but to cut hay for barter he must secure a permit, for which he shall pay an office fee of 50 cents and 50 cents per ton for all such hay cut for barter.

Jack's Discovery.

"Yes, when Jack married her he thought she was an angel, but it wasn't long before he found out his mistake."

"Disappointed, eh?"

"I should say not. He found she was a good cook."—New Haven Register.

Cynical Definition.

"A bachelor," remarks a disappointed lady, "is a man who lives alone with the one he loves."—Boston Transcript.

The railway conductor has troubles of his own without worrying about his wife's train.

"Which has the harder life, coffee or tea?"
 "Tea, for while coffee can sit down tea is compelled to drive."

Enough To Make One Sick.

"What's the matter, old top? You look sick."

"I've just undergone a serious operation."

"Appendicitis?"

"Worse than that. I had my allowance cut off."—Portland Express.

A sack full of alfalfa seed, grown at Belvedere, about forty miles northwest of Edmonton, in the north-central part of Alberta, has just been exhibited by its owner, Mr. J. S. Mills, states the Edmonton Bulletin.

The seed was well matured, was well cleaned and had every appearance, of being in condition to reproduce satisfactorily. Mr. Mills is of the opinion that his is the first successful attempt to raise alfalfa seed so far north in Canada. Mr. Mills has 450 pounds of seed threshed from 134 acres of alfalfa. The field was sown in 1915, and two crops of hay were cut from it in 1916, 1917 and 1918. The yield was at the rate of about four tons to the acre as the total of the two crops. The first cutting gave the heaviest yield. There was a good aftermath following the second cutting, when the plants were a foot high they were thinned by hand.

The general impression now fasted, has been that alfalfa seed would not mature successfully so far north. The seed sown by Mr. Mills is of the Grimm variety. During the dry period in the earlier part of the past summer he decided to let the crop stand to produce seed. A rainy period followed, but that did not prevent the seed from forming and maturing. The crop was cut about September 25. In due course it was stacked, and the hay from the threshed alfalfa is eaten freely by cattle and even calves, and seems to be equal in feed value to ordinary hay. It is of a brownish color, being ripe.

Mr. Mills has been growing different varieties of alfalfa for some years past on the uplands of the Pembina River with great success. Since he has been growing this crop wild-bees have become very numerous in the neighborhood, no doubt getting the benefit of the honey producing qualities of the alfalfa. Mr. Mills is of the opinion that no other farm crop will produce financial results equal to alfalfa.

Pays \$5,000,000 For Town

Sam Copley Makes Fortune in Australia and Buys English Birthplace

Thirty-seven years ago he left Huddersfield England, with less than \$1 in his pocket; today he virtually has completed a transaction making him, at a cost of \$5,000,000, owner of a greater part of that Yorkshire town.

That is the remarkable achievement of Sam Copley, a banker of London. He is a short and sturdy built man of sixty years, yet, despite the strenuous life he has lived he looks many years younger. Although he has been away from Yorkshire so many years, there is no mistaking his accent, and Copley is as proud of it as anything he has achieved in his life. He remembers with relish that when a lad living with his father, a barber in Berry Brow, outside Huddersfield, he was known as the "Young Terror," always in mischief. Copley made his fortune in Australia. He says:

"When I was a boy every one in Huddersfield was cursing landlors. Ever since I have always thought that if I were rich enough I would buy Huddersfield and free it, and now I think the opportunity has come. It was at the suggestion of my friend Wilfrid Dawson, a well-known stock-broker of Huddersfield, that I gave the corporation an offer of the property I bought. If the corporation does not accept the offer I shall give every man in Huddersfield the opportunity of becoming the owner of his own freehold property."

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Higher Pay For Teachers

Commenting on Mr. Rockefeller's gift of \$100,000,000 to meet the urgent needs of educational institutions in the United States and Canada, A. H. Ball, deputy minister of education for Saskatchewan, declared that no more forceful or dramatic recognition of the existence of a grave emergency could have been given.

Only prompt action on the part of those responsible for fixing the salaries of teachers in this province, said Mr. Ball, can stop the present flow of the best material from the teaching profession into other and more lucrative occupations. Unless this action is taken, Saskatchewan will lose from its schools the intellectual cream of the province, and be forced to depend on second rate and third rate teachers for the education of its future citizens.



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Future Success

Canadian Development Must Depend Upon a Constant Influx of Suitable Immigrants

Ernest H. Godfrey, of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa, in a paper before the Royal Statistical Society on "Fifty Years of Canadian Progress as Illustrated by Official Statistics, 1867-1917," drew attention to the remarkable increase in the forestry reserves of the Dominion, due to the policy of the Dominion and provincial governments. From 1901 to 1918 the reserves had, he said, increased from 7,413,760 acres to 152,833,955 acres in addition to an estimated 20,000,000 acres of unalienated land in British Columbia.

Discussing the future, Mr. Godfrey said that to a large extent Canadian development must depend upon a constant influx of suitable immigrants, and of capital. It was probable that settlement in well organized communities in which women would take their natural part would relieve the isolation of prairie farming. The opening of the Panama Canal and the construction of the Hudson Bay Railway should provide important new outlets for Canadian products. It would be bold to attempt to foretell the future effect of aviation on national progress, but it was already evident, he remarked, that exploration and prospecting in lands inaccessible by rail would benefit immensely by this means of locomotion. There was a practically unlimited field open to Canada in every direction, whether as regarded agriculture, forestry, fisheries, minerals or manufactures.

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Prince of Wales Has A High Sense of Duty.

No visitor of any rank from any country ever had such a welcome from America as the young Prince of Wales. To what is all this due? It is due, in the minds of all who have studied the records of his tour, to qualities and ideals which would give distinction to the man if he were not the Prince. He has a charm of manner, sincerity, simplicity and a high sense of duty. He has brains. His speeches, which are his own, reveal some gift of oratory and a very hearty common sense. His actions show a level head on attractively young and unspoiled shoulders. He has, we are persuaded, done work of extreme importance for the Empire and for civilization. We may all pay him a tribute of quite genuine homage without suspicion of sympathy or fear of turning his quiet sane head—London Daily Express.

Successes For Western Canada

Prizes Won at the International Exhibition Held in Chicago.

At the International Exhibition held at Chicago on December 2, competitors from Western Canada again demonstrated the superiority of their grains by carrying off, among others, nine prizes and several ribbons for hard spring wheat. The successful exhibitors, in order, were as follows: J. C. Mitchell, Dahninda; J. S. Field, Regina; Seager Wheeler, Rosthern; Ander Brothers, Wilcox; A. Tait, Semans; Robert Clark, Speers, and J. F. Cadore, South Forks, all from Saskatchewan; E. F. Young, Oak Lake, and Samuel Larcombe, Birtle, represented Manitoba.

In the Durum classes, P. Kozek and E. F. Young, both of Oak Lake, Manitoba, won first and second, respectively.

In six-rowed barley, Seager Wheeler, Rosthern, Sask., was first, and Samuel Larcombe, Birtle, Man., second.

It will be remembered that Mr. J. S. Field was the winner of the sweepstakes and C.P.R. cup for hard spring wheat and first prize and sweepstakes for oats at the International Soil Products Exposition, at Kansas City recently, while the successes of Seager Wheeler are so well known as to need no enumeration.

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Germany Shipped Guns to Mexico

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The exportation of war material by Germany is a violation of the armistice and peace treaty. The German government has been asked to explain the shipments and notified not to attempt any similar exportation of such armaments.

The first shipment consisted of four carloads of second hand machine guns, all boxed and ready for ocean transport. This shipment comprised 2,095 machine guns and, according to Marshal Foch, the guns arrived in Holland on November 28, the senders being the firm of Brockleman and Senet Guan, of Cassel. The consignment was the Johan Munts Arms and Trading Company of Amsterdam.

The communication to the Inter-Allied Armistice commission at Cologne, giving notice of these shipments, says that Marshal Foch has information showing that the shipments had been made "across Holland, with destination Mexico."

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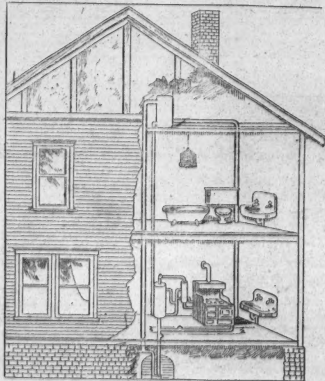
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The Financial Canvass in connection with the Inter-Church Forward Movement is to be made Feb. 9th to 14th, with probably an extension of time in the country sections. The Movement is evidently a popular and timely one as hundreds of thousands of dollars have already been subscribed in advance of the Campaign. People are feeling that the Church has not been getting the support it should have received in recent years and are trying to meet the great need now that the opportunity is afforded them.

A Tribute to the Dog

A speech made by the late Senator Vest of Missouri in the trial of a man who had wrongly shot a dog belonging to a neighbor. Mr. Vest represented the plaintiff, who demanded \$200 damages. As the result of the speech, the jury, after two minutes deliberation, awarded the plaintiff \$500.

"Gentlemen of the Jury: The best friend a man has in this world may turn against him and become his enemy. His son or daughter that he has reared with loving care may prove ungrateful. Those who are nearest and dearest to us, those whom we trust with our happiness and our good name, may become traitors to their faith. The money that a man has, he may lose. It flies away from him, perhaps when he needs it most. A man's reputation may be sacrificed in a moment of ill considered action. The people who are prone to fall on their knees to do us honor when success is with us may be the first to throw the stone of malice when failure settles its cloud upon our heads. The one absolutely unselfish friend that a man can have in this selfish world, the one that never deserts him and the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous, is his dog.

"Gentlemen of the Jury, a man's dog stands by him in prosperity and in poverty; in health and in sickness. He will sleep on the cold ground, when the wintry winds blow and the snow drives fiercely, if only he may be near his master's side. He will kiss the hand that has no food to offer, he will lick the wounds and sores that come in encounters with the roughness of the world. He guards the sleep of his pauper master as if he were a prince. When all other friends desert he remains. When riches take wing, and reputation falls to pieces, he is as constant in his love as the sun in its journey through the heavens. If fortune drives the master forth an outcast in the world, friendless and homeless, the faithful dog asks no higher privilege than that of accompanying him to guard against danger, to fight against his enemies, and when he last scene of all comes, and death takes the master in its embrace and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, their by his graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws, his eyes sad but open in alert watchfulness, faithful and true even to death."

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